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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Bureau of the Fiscal Service

Proposed Collection of Information: Voucher for Payment of Awards

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Treasury, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. Currently the Bureau of the Fiscal Service within the Department of the Treasury is soliciting comments concerning the Voucher for Payment of Awards.

DATES: Written comments should be received on or before [INSERT DATE 60 DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER] to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments and requests for additional information to Bureau of the Fiscal Service, Bruce A. Sharp, Room #4006-A, PO Box 1328, Parkersburg, WV 26106-1328, or bruce.sharp@fiscal.treasury.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Voucher for Payment of Awards

OMB Number: 1530-0012

Form Number: FS Form 5135

Abstract: Awards certificate to Treasury are paid annually as funds are received from foreign governments. Vouchers are mailed to award holders showing payments due. Award holders sign vouchers certifying that he/she is entitled to payment. Executed vouchers are used as a basis for payment.

Current Actions: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Type of Review: Regular

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit

Estimated Number of Respondents: 1,400

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 30 minutes

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 700

Request for Comments: Comments submitted in response to this notice will be

summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will

become a matter of public record. Comments are invited on: 1. Whether the collection of

information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency,

including whether the information shall have practical utility; 2. the accuracy of the

agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; 3. ways to enhance the

quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; 4. ways to minimize the

burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of

automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and 5.

estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of

services to provide information.

Dated: February 2, 2022.

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Bureau Clearance Officer.

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